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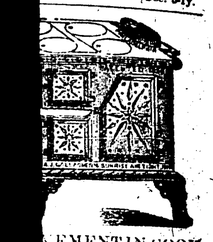

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Baptist.—Sabbath School at 9 o'clock, A. M. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening.

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ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way as	7 25	A.M.
Western "	7 25	A.M.
Hollidaysburg,	7 25 A.M. and 6 00	P.M.
Western Through,	6 00	"
Eastern Through Mail	7 30	"

MAILS OPEN.

Eastern Through Mail,	7 55	A.M.
Western Through,	7 35	"
Eastern Way,	7 00	A.M.
Western "	6 25	P.M.
Hollidaysburg	7 30 A.M. and 6 15	"

Office open for the transaction of business from 6.30 A.M. to 7.30 P.M., during the week, and from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock, on Sunday.

June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train East arrives	1.25	A.M.,	leaves	1.30 A.M.
" " West "	7.55	"	"	8.15 "
Fast " East "	8.05	P.M.	"	9.20 P.M.
" " West "	6.10	P.M.,	"	8.25 P.M.
Mail " East "	7.35	A.M.	"	7.50 A.M.
" " West "	6.25	P.M.,	"	6.40 P.M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, and with Mail Train East and West. The HUNTINGDON BRANCH connects with Johnstown Day Train East and West, Express Train West and Mail Train East.

November 20, 1858. THOS. A. SCOTT, Sup't.

MEETINGS OF ASSOCIATIONS.

Mountain Lodge, A. Y. M., No. 281, meets on second Tuesday of each month, in the third story of the Masonic Temple at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Hamilton Encampment, A. Y. M., No. 10, meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month, in the third story of the Masonic Temple, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Altoona Lodge, I. O. of O. F., No. 473, meets every Friday evening, in the second story of the Masonic Temple, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Tyranda Lodge, I. O. of O. F., No. 522, meets every Friday evening, in the third story of Patton's Building, on Virginia street, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Wauchope Tribe, No. 25, I. O. R. M., hold stated Council every Tuesday evening, in the I. O. O. F. Hall, in the Masonic Temple. Council Fire kindled at 7th run 30th heath. W. A. ADAMS, *C. of R.* [June 25, '57-1y

Junior Sons of America, Camp No. 51, meets every Monday night in the third story of Patton's Hall, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Washington Camp, No. 54, *J. S. of A.*, meets every Tuesday evening, in the 2d story of Patton's Hall.

Altoona Division, No. 311, *S. of T.*, meets every Saturday evening, in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Masonic Temple.

Altoona Mechanics' Library and Reading Room Association meets statedly on the 1st Saturday evening in January, April, July and October. Board of Directors meet on the 1st Tuesday evening in each month. Room open from 10 to 10 o'clock every evening, (Sunday excepted.)

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Judges of the Courts.—President, Hon. George Taylor.—Associates, J. Knox Jones, David Caldwell.
Prothonotary—Joseph Baldridge.
Register and Recorder—Hugh A. Caldwell.
Sheriff—James Funk.
District Attorney—Benj. L. Hewit.
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Clerk to Commissioners—Hugh A. Caldwell.
Mercantile Appraiser—Joseph G. Adlum.
County Surveyor—James L. Gwinn.
Treasurer—John Lingafelt.
Auditors—S. Morrow, A. C. McCartney, Jos. R. Hewitt.
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Coroner—William Fox.
Superintendent of Common Schools—John Dean.

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Justices of the Peace—Jacob Good, J. M. Cherry.
Burgess—E. M. Jones.
Town Council—John Allison, Robert Green, Robert B. Taylor, Daniel Price, Henry S. Spering.
President of Council—John Allison.
Clerk to Council—Joseph G. Adlum.
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Treasurer of School Board—Wm. C. McCormick.
High Constable—Joseph K. Ely.
Tax Collector—John McClelland.
Auditors—Thos. McMinn, David Galbraith.
Assessor—Jacob Bierbower.
Assistant Assessors—Michael Clabaugh, A. Alloway.
Judge of Elections—East Ward—S. A. Alexander.
" " West " R. Greenwood.
" " North " Jacob Bottenberg.
Inspectors—East Ward—Henry Bell, Jacob Saink.
" " West " E. B. McCrum, Jacob Hosser.
" " North " G. W. Harman, John Condo.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

CARPET BAGS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &c., can be bought cheaper at H. TUCH'S than at any other place in the country. [Dec. 9, 1858.

ON HAND AT McCORMICK'S Store —A splendid assortment of Ready-Made clothing. Call and see. Nov. 25, tf.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trusses—Braces for sale at KESSLER'S.

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chrome Green, Yellow, Paris Green, &c., for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

WEST BRANCH FIRE, LIVE STOCK AND HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY, OF LOCK HAVEN, PA.

R. A. O. KERR, AGENT, ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

Capital, $300,000 | Premium Notes, $152,000
Chartered, 1856—Charter Perpetual.

Will insure against Fire and Sickness. Also, on first class Horses, Mules and Cattle at reasonable rates.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The weekly payment of this Company to those incapacitated for active life by sickness or accident, equals the annual deposit. For instance, by paying at the rate of

$ 5 00	per year, draw weekly	$ 5 00
10 00	do do	10 00
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DIRECTORS:

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The Board of Directors submit the following testimonial from Governor Wm. F. Packer, showing the reputation of the Company at home:

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., August 5, 1857.

I am personally acquainted with the Directors and Officers of the West Branch Insurance Company at Lock Haven, Pa., and cheerfully bear testimony to their high character as business men. A company under their control will undoubtedly be safely and prudently managed, and all losses which it may sustain honorably adjusted.

May 5, 1859-6m

GREAT OPENING OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RECEIVED and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st., a large and attractive assortment of seasonable goods, comprising all the novelties in

BEREGES,
DUCALS,
CHINTZES,
LAWNS,
GINGHAMS,
EMBROIDERIES,
LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES,

and all varieties and textures of

LADIES DRESS GOODS,

together with a full assortment of goods for gentlemen's wear, such as Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

Also a full stock of Hardware, Queensware and

GROCERIES,

and an assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,

of all sizes and styles, which equal to any in the market, and will be sold at fair prices.

Having recently enlarged my store-room, I can now display my largely increased stock to better advantage and would respectfully invite everybody to call.

May 12, 1859.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store *on Virginia street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office*, where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,

consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Rhine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c., &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce. Our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOUIS PLACK.

Altoona, May 26, 1859.-tf

D. R. GOOD, M. D. J. M GEMMILL, M. D.

DRS. GOOD & GEMMILL HAVING entered into Partnership in the Practice of Medicine, respectfully tender their services to the Public in the several branches of their Profession.

Calls will be answered either day or night at their office —which is the same as heretofore occupied by Drs. Hirst & Good,—or at the Logan House.

DR. GEMMILL REFERS TO

DAVID GILBERT, M. D., Prof. Obstetrics in Penn'a Medical College, Philadelphia.
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J. B. Luden, M D, Huntingdon, Pa
John McCulloch, M D, "
John Scott, Esq, "
Wm Dorris, Jr., Esq, "
Wm M Lloyd, Esq. Hollidaysburg,
John Cresswell, Jr, Esq, "
Samuel Milliken, Esq, Bell's Mills,
Gen B F Bell, "
John Bell, Esq, "
April 21st, 1859-3m

DR. WM. R. FINLEY RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the people of Altoona and the adjoining country.

He may be found at the office heretofore occupied by Dr. G. D. Thomas.

Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.-tf

B. F. ROYER, M. D., Offers his professional services to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.

The best of references can be given if required.

Office at residence on Branch street, East Altoona, three doors above Conrad's Store. April 28 '59-1y.

DENTISTRY.—DR. S. KIMMELL, *OPERATIVE & MECHANICAL DENTIST.*

Teeth inserted, from one to a full set, on Gold or Silver Plate.

Teeth filled with Gold, and warranted for ten years.

Teeth Extracted by the Electro Magnetic Machine without Pain.

All operations and work done cheaper than anywhere else in the county, and a deduction made, of the railroad expenses from Altoona to Hollidaysburg, from all operations amounting to five dollars and over.

☞ Office on Montgomery street, opposite the Exchange Hotel, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [Dec. 16, 1858-1y

WM. S. BITTNER, SURGEON DENTIST.

OFFICE IN THE MASONIC TEMPLE. Teeth extracted without pain by the Electro Magnetic Machine. [Dec. 23, '58.-tf

☞ A Student wanted.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property*, of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office with Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co.

D. T. CALDWELL, *Agent.*

Jan. 27, '59-tf

LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.

Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.

March 17, '59-y JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

Select Poetry.

PRACTICE WHAT YOU PREACH

Tell me not of garbled sermons—
Elegance of thought and style
Heard from out your modern pulpits,
Many from error to beguile,
Eloquence may charm the fancy,
Summon an admiring crowd,
Who surround the gifted preacher
With their praises long and loud,
But if God's appointed servants
Would their hearers' conscience reach,
Leading them to paths of wisdom,
They must practice what they preach.

Parents, if your tender offspring
You would lead in ways of truth,
Shielding them from temptations
That surround the paths of youth;
Count as vain your time-worn maxims,
And to make your teachings sure,
Guide them not alone by precept,
But example just and pure
For, to shelter them from tempests,
Sin's dark clouds would cast round each
Tender flowers of your protection,
You must practice what you preach.

Teachers if throughout your duties,
Ever faithful you would be,
Not by words, but by your actions,
Teach in all sincerity.
Youthful eyes are on you gazing,
Youthful hearts your thoughts receive,
Eagerly they catch your accents,
Eagerly your words believe.
Then beware lest by your actions,
Untrue principles you teach,
And forget not you must ever
Strive to practice what you preach.

BE EARNEST.

Be earnest in thy calling,
Whatever it may be;
Time's sands are ever falling,
And will not wait for thee!

With zeal and vigor labor,
And thou wilt surely rise;
Oh, suffer not thy neighbor
To bear away the prize!

But form thy purpose gravely—
Then quickly push along,
And prosecute it bravely,
With resolution strong.

Thou wilt not be defeated,
But pressing firmly on,
Find all at length completed—
Thine object fully won!

Be earnest in devotion,
Old age is drawing near;
A bubble on Time's ocean,
Thou soon wilt disappear!

In practice, and in spirit,
Here worship thou the Lord,
And thou shalt then inherit
A rich and sure reward.

SIGNS OF RAIN.

When hushed and still the zephyr's breath,
When leaves hang motionless as death;
When winged insects fill the air;
When vengeful tied-bugs quit the lair;
When frisky fleas for food foray;
When mid-day airs musquitoes play;
When lowing cows the barn-yard seek;
When bleating calves calf language speak;
When thick black clouds obscure the sky;
When fitful gusts of wind pass by;
When large round drops of water fall;
When house wives scold and children squall;
When damp pervades from roof to cellar;
When you can't find your umber-rella;
When lightnings flash and thunders roar;
When corns once heal'd need *Hiding o'er*;
When drops bedew the window pane;
When these occur—*look out for rain!*

Select Miscellany.

THE SCALPED TRAPPER.

BY EDWARD ELLIS.

When the fact became known that gold existed in fabulous quantities within the wilds of California, the greatest excitement probably that has ever taken place in modern times convulsed the world.—Thousands from the remotest corners of the civilized world hastened to the El Dorado to delve the precious metal. The wild, romantic valleys of the Sierra Nevada and Cascade Range, which had never been trodden by the foot of a white man, were now thronged with hundreds, eager and excited; the streams which had flowed undisturbed for ages were turned from their natural course, and their beds analyzed, and the adamantine ribs of the great mountains were forced asunder by the one impelling desire. The Overland Route was alive with human beings, and, for a time, it seemed that a new era had dawned upon the world.

Some months after the wild reports had been confirmed beyond a doubt, there entered the city of Independence two trappers who had just returned from their sojourn at the head waters of the tributaries of the Missouri. Snapper Jack, as he was termed, and Steve Hale, at first treated these rumors with indifference and even contempt. Not even the affirmations of their own companions could convince them and they started upon their next trapping journey, fully believing that the multitude that had left the States were sadly deceived. When a few days distant from the Mississippi, they met a trapper, who was an old friend, and who, in the short time he had been in California, had made his "pile." This fact was a convincing argument, and did really convince Snapper Jack that there was a fortune to be made in that country. Hale, however, was immovable. Even the most earnest declarations had no effect, and he sneered at Jack's credulity.

The three trappers spent the night together, and the conversation that then took place fixed the determination of each. In the morning they seperated, each taking different directions. The trapper from the West continued his journey towards the States; Snapper Jack kept on towards California, and Hale started in a northwest direction towards "trapping grounds.' Leaving the former and the latter to themselves, we will follow the strange fortunes of Snapper Jack, as he proceeded hopefully and cheerfully on his way.

Jack, although he mentioned it to no one, had entertained a belief that gold existed in any quantity in the Wahsatch Mountains, and it was his determination to visit them alone and satisfy himself in regard to it. For the purpose of a greater safety, however, he joined a company of emigrants, and remained with them until they had nearly proceeded as far as Pike's Peak. While he was with these travelers he was the means of saving the company from a wholesale slaughter by the Indians. As is generally the case, they placed too great a reliance upon their numbers, and paid no attention to the suspicious appearance of several savages hovering in the distance during the daytime. Jack announced to them the startling fact that they were watched by a large number of savages, who meditated an attack the next night; and, as a consequence, they were fully prepared. The prediction was true; and the whites, about midnight, were set upon by an overwhelming number of Indians, who after a short but terrible struggle, were repulsed and scattered by the deadly discharge of the rifles of the emigrants. This occurrence was a lesson to the company; and no night after that was spent on the prairie without a sufficient guard.

Jack, as we said, accompanied them for some distance further, when bidding them adieu, he alone with his horse, struck boldly southward toward the Wahsatch Mountains. He was a too experienced hunter to be heedless or careless of the danger which he knew he had incurred by this proceeding; and when he encamped upon the prairie it was not until he was assured of his safety. More than once he spent the twenty-four hours without a moment's sleep, and proceeded cautiously and slowly through the day, watching anxiously and avoiding the slightest appearance of danger. At length, however, he reached the mountains one afternoon, and spent the night at the base. The grass was rich and luxuriant, and choosing a secluded spot, he turned his horse to graze, intending not to disturb him again until he left the mountains. Then taking his "traps" and "fixin's," and marking the spot, he deposited them in a sort of half cave, where he judged there was no danger of their being disturbed by intermeddling Indians. Here, in his cave, he spent his first night in the Wahsatch Mountains.

At morn, he ascended the mountain, and was somewhat startled when he discovered that there had been Indians very recently in the vicinity. He was however, confident that with due caution he could avoid an encounter with them, and had really little to fear from an attack.

He was, however, disappointed. At noon, weary with wandering over the rugged wilds of the mountain, he stopped at a small, crystal stream to slack his thirst. While drinking, he noticed a quantity of yellow shining particles of sand, and he believed at once that he had discovered the gold. Delighted with his success, he gathered a few grains in his hand, and holding them between his thumb and finger held them up to the light to survey them. As he did so, several cracks from behind the surrounding rocks and trees, and a bullet whizzed directly between his thumb and finger, scattering the grains to the winds. At the same instant a score of yells reverbrated through the forest and as many dusky savages sprang exultingly toward him. The trapper saw that but one was directly in his way, and taking a half aim, he sprang over his writhing body and darted like a wounded animal towards the base of the mountain, the whole pack plunging after him.

He had gone but a short distance when he found that he had been wounded by the fire of the Indians, and would be unable to continue his flight for any length of time. He turned his head and saw the blood trickling down his thigh, and at every step it seemed as if a knife were thrust in his flesh. Finding matters desperate he gathered all his strength and made towards the point where he supposed his horse was grazing. Providence favored him, and he came directly upon him, without loosing a moment in the search. Springing on his back, he brandished his rifle over his head, and giving an exultant yell, galloped away.

"Now catch me, you cowardly devils," he shouted. "S'pose you'd like to lift ha'r, wouldn't you. How does that suit?"

In an incredible short space of time he had reloaded his rifle; and as he uttered the last words, he covered the form of the foremost Indian and fired. The wounded savage returned the fire as he limped forward; but the aim was wild, and the bullet aped wide its mark.

"There's another of the same sort.—How does that suit?"

The shot, however, owing to the difficulty of aiming while on horseback, but slightly wounded a savage; and the trapper, deeming it prudent to get beyond the reach of his pursuers as soon as possible, turned and struck his horse into a fast run.

The savages, fearful of loosing their prey, fired together; yet strangely enough, missed Jack, who returned a yell of defiance, as he again brandished his gun above his head. He was startled, however, to find that, although unhurt himself by the shots of his enemies, his horse was severely injured, and limped painfully. The savages seemed to be aware of this; for again giving vent to their yells of triumph, they plunged forward and continued the pursuit.

Luckily for Jack, the night was coming on; and he felt confident that, could he avoid his pursuers until then, he could elude them altogether. Still, his chances were desperate indeed. As he reloaded his rifle, he urged his horse forward, and the animal seemed conscious of the danger hanging over his master, and strove manfully to carry him beyond reach of it.

Jack turned to fire, and as he did so he saw that two of the foremost of the savages had halted and brought their pieces to their shoulder, and the next instant a red jet of flame sprang from before them.—As quick as lightning he dropped upon his face, and the bullets whizzed over his head, passing clean through the neck of his horse. The noble animal vented forth a groan, seemingly as much of sorrow as of pain, staggered a moment; and, as his rider leaped from his back, fell to the earth.

"Thunder, lightning, redskins, beavers, and bufflers, if Snapper Jack isn't in a tight place!" exclaimed the trapper leaping away.

The shades of night were now settling yet there was a faint moon; and it was necessary for the trapper to keep his pursuers at a considerable distance, in order to be beyond their sight. His pursuers numbered about a dozen, and as he turned he saw that two were gaining rapidly upon him—too rapidly indeed for comfort or assurance. His wound was becoming intensely painful, and he could hardly bear the weight of his body for an instant upon it. The savages, feeling confident that the trapper was within reach, halted, and but two continued the pursuit. Jack discovered this and took hope. Gathering his strength, he ran forward for a short distance, when from great pain sank to the ground.

The darkness had become so intense, that the savages were not in sight; but in a few moments the two appeared, and gave a simultaneous yell of triumph, as they beheld the prostrate form of the trapper. Jack's face was turned from them; and waiting until he judged they were nigh enough, he rolled over toward them; and before it could be avoided shot one of the savages in the heart. The other, with a howl of fury, leaped toward the trapper, who fell back and fainted, for the first time in his life. The savage thinking him dead from his frightful appearance, jerked his cap from his head, seized the hair in his hand, and running the keen point around the crown, commenced scalping him. This new pain revived Jack, who, realizing his danger, plunged forward, and drove his knife to the hilt in the body of the savage. The Indian gave his death yell as he sprang aloft, his hand still clutched the hair of the trapper, and carried it with him, thus *actually scalping him.* The two beings closed round each other, in their death-struggle; and as the savage breathed out his life, Jack also became unconscious.

When the trapper came to himself, the sun was high in the heavens, and he was alone on the great prairie. The blood from his wounded head had flowed down over his face, and, drying had so closed his eyes that it only was with great difficulty that he opened them. His head seemed bursting with pain; and hardly conscious of what he was doing, he crawled a few rods to the left, where was a stream of water, and washed his wounds. This done he felt considerable relieved; and placing his cap upon his head, began to really think that it was not time for him to "go under." The wound in his thigh pained him little, but his scalpless head was terrible.

"Ugh! you thundering devil!" hissed he, as he surveyed the fallen savage, "you got enough o' ha'r liftin' that time, didn't yer. Whoop!"

As if some sudden hope had sprung up in the trapper's heart, his ghastly countenance twisted into a sickly smile.

"Spoz'n we trade ha'r!"

As he said this, he stooped, and seizing the tuft upon the savage's head tore it off by the roots, and then gave the body a contemptuous kick.

"That ar affair, I calc'late, is wot hain't never been done. Just think, a decent white man tradin' ha'r with a thieving, cowardly, all-fired copperskin! Wagh!"

Jack felt a strange feeling darting through his system. His pain seemed to cease, and the prairie appeared alive with Indians, all with horrid visages, hurrying towards him. Full of terror, he uttered a fierce yell, and darted away. He was delirous,

Late one afternoon, as a company of emigrants were slowly wending their way, over the far plains of the West, toward California, they espied a solitary hunter in the distance approaching. They watched him with interest until he came up when they seemed at a loss to tell whether he was an inhabitant of this world or some strange phantom that their imagination had conjured up. His bloodshot eyes protruded from their sockets, and his sunken face was covered with grizzly hair, while hardly a fragment of his garments remained upon him. In reply to their questions, he gave a vacant stare, and seemed unconscious that any persons were near him. He permitted himself to be handled and examined, and was as docile as a child. When by accident his cap was removed, the spectators shrunk back in horror. He seemed literally a walking corpse!

The good emigrants came to a halt for the day, and the trapper was committed to the care of a physician who accompanied them. Day after day they nursed him until they arrived at California, where he was still taken care of, and finally recovered—thus presenting the strange spectacle of a *living man who had been scalped!* He related his story to his friends; and thanking them as best he could, left them.

But what is probably as singular as anything that has been related, is the fact that Snapper Jack actually visited the Wahsatch Mountain again upon a horse. He affirmed that he came across the two mouldering skeletons of the savages who caused him so much trouble; and in the whitened bones of one hand he beheld *his own scalp*, and carried it with him. But what affected him most was the remains of his faithful horse.

He remained a number of months in the mountains, without encountering an enemy, and finally returned to Independence seemingly well pleased with his fortune. Whether he actually discovered gold is unknown and probably will remain so until he choses to tell.

TALL LEAPING.—"Bill, do you see those two houses?"

"I do."

"Well, Bill, perhaps you won't believe me, but—you see those two houses?"

"Certainly I see them."

"I can take my boots off and jump over them."

"Over those two houses! Get out!"

"I say I can take my boots off and jump over them."

"Over your boots! Humph! so can I, Jim, I'm some at jumping. I can leap higher than a meeting-house! A meeting-house is pretty high."

"But I can leap higher than a meeting-house."

"No, you can't."

"I can leap higher than a meeting-house—how high do you think a meeting-house can leap, Jim."

"Get out, Bill."

CHILDREN.—It is said, man would be little better than a savage but for woman. With equal truth we may assert both men and women would be hard, and selfish beings but for children. These call out and refine and soften the best feelings of the parental heart. Their little needs are so many, and their simple innocence so affecting, and their very caprices so winning, that love and attention grow out of them almost instinctively. That must be a hardened nature which can remain unmoved by the soft touch, and playful childishness, and thousand little pranks of a baby.

CURING AND KEEPING BUTTER.—It is now the season of the year when butter is most abundant and cheapest. If any method could be had for curing and keeping it fresh and sweet, there are thousands who would avail themselves of it, and put away their winter supply. It would be a great saving, economically considered. An old housekeeper recommends the following:—Loaf sugar, three ounces; best table salt, ten ounces. Take about one ounce of this mixture to one pound of butter.

☞ At a railway station, an old lady said to a very pompous looking gentleman, who was talking about steam communication:

"Pray, sir, what is steam?"

"Steam, ma'am, is, ah!—steam is—oh! ah—steam is—steam!"

"I knew that chap couldn't tell ye," said a rough looking fellow standing by; "but steam is a bucket of water in a tremendous perspiration."

☞ Never tell a man he's a fool. In the first place, he won't believe you; in the next, you make him your enemy.

☞ A firm faith is the best philosophy; a clear conscience the best law; honesty the best policy.

The Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 29, 1859.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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Advertising Agents, 119 Nassau street, New York, and 10 State street, Boston, are the Agents for the *Altoona Tribune*, and the most influential and largest circulating Newspapers in the United States and the Canadas. They are authorized to contract for us at our *lowest rates*.

Are You Assessed?

Voters should remember that next Saturday is the last day they can be assessed. Those who wish to exercise the dearest right of a free citizen should remember this, and see to it that they hand their names on or before next Saturday to the Assessor of the Borough, or Township in which they reside. John McClelland is the Assessor of this Borough, and we believe Wm. Young Anderson is Assessor of Logan Township. Hand in your names to them that you may record your ballots for the man of your choice on the second Tuesday of next month.

The Senatorial Question.

The party papers in this Senatorial District have been agitating the Senatorial question in the use of rather bitter invectives in some quarters—more bitter than will be of advantage to the one designed to be benefitted, or injury of the one sought to be disparaged. Personalities are always disagreeable in political contests and should never be indulged in further than the want of intellectual capacity in a candidate may warrant it. If a man be incapacitated, intellectually, for the proper discharge of the duties of the office for which he is nominated, it is right that the people should know it, but further than this, personal invectives and impeachments, except for indictable offences, should not be indulged in, as they have and always will work to the injury of those who use them.

The office of Senator is one of more importance than many people attach to it.—The man who holds this office is expected to assist in framing and passing laws for the government of the people of the State, and unless he has some knowledge of the laws already in force and of those yet required, he can not speak and vote correctly when they come before him for action.—Party preferences, we are well aware, too often cause men to overlook proper qualifications, and the party is voted for rather than the man. This should not, and we are inclined to think will not, be the case on the second Tuesday of October. The day in which men can be induced to "go it blind" for the man whom the leaders of the party to which they belong have nominally set up, is well nigh passed, and voters now think and act for themselves. This is right, and a man who does not think and act for himself in the matter of chosing those who shall be placed in authority can not be called a freeman.

In comparing the candidates for the office of Senator in this district, it will not take long to decide as to who is the best qualified, intellectually, to fill the office. It must be and is admitted by the friends of Mr. Durbin, who are acquainted with him, that in this respect he falls behind his competitor, Col. L. W. Hall, of this place. Col. Hall is known to possess all the qualifications requisite to a proper and faithful discharge of the duties of the office for which he is a candidate; and that he will discharge them impartially, politically, all who knows him can testify. He has never been an ultra party man, and we are confident that he would not assist in carrying out party schems to the detriment of the interests of his constituents or the State. He will undoubtedly receive, as he should, a large vote, irrespective of party, where he is personally known; and should he be elected, of which we have no doubt, he will fill the office with acceptance and credit to his constituents.

☞ The *Atlantic Monthly* continues to increase in interest as it increases in age. Every month increases the interest in its continued communications, and all new contributions are of the very highest order, both in point of literary merit and useful information. Price $3 per annum.

☞ The Washington correspondent of the *North American* says the dispatch received from Gen. Harney by the last California mail, in regard to the military occupation of San Juan and the complication with Governor Douglass, were so unsatisfactory to the President, and occasioned so much apprehension as to induce him to call upon Gen. Scott to proceed immediately to the scene of difficulty and by his personal efforts and influence to arrest the drifting tendency towards a collision between the American and British forces. Gen. Scott responded, with the patriotism and alacrity which have always distinguished him, and started upon the journey on Tuesday at noon, carrying instructions prepared by the President, which invest him with full discretion to remove every existing obstruction to a pacific solution of the issue by diplomatic arrangement as was contemplated by the late administration.

To General Harney's impetuous character and conduct may be attributed this new entanglement which was anticipated in some form when he was ordered to the Pacific, by those who knew his rash proclivities. The administration is not without a certain misgiving that trouble may occur before General Scott can reach his destination. Precautions have been taken by every available means to prevent such a contingency, and besides the prompt presence of Gen. Scott, efforts will be made to anticipate his arrival by dispatches by the overland route, checking any further movements on the part of Gen. Harney. There is nothing in the state of the question itself which is not easily susceptible of satisfactory adjustment, and which will be brought to such a conslusion by General Scott, no matter what aspect it may have assumed before his appearance.

No serious anxiety need, therefore, be entertained concerning the probability of a rupture, though ignorant or interested persons may strive to spread such an impression. Indeed, Lord Lyons, the British ambassador, has manifested the best possible feeling in this affair, and has written to Gov. Douglass in such a spirit as cannot fail to facilitate Gen. Scott's pacific endeavors. The importance of a telegraph communication with the Pacific is fully demonstrated by the predicament in which the government is now placed, actually involving our friendly and peaceful relations with a great foreign power.

THE IRISH REVIVAL MOVEMENT.—The singular religious movement in Ireland, which we have previously noticed, is attended with incidents that stir up the bitterest prejudices. It appears that in several places members of the Roman Catholic families have been drawn into the revival excitement, much to the disgust of their friends, and quarrels have followed. Several have appealed to the courts, and the religious and party newspapers take up the quarrel, and indulge in the most violent invectives. The strife is, certainly, not a becoming one, but it seeems to be the fate of Ireland to be rent always into factions by senseless prejudices and cherished bigotries.

GIFT BOOK.—We have received from G. G. Evans a copy each of the "Life of Col. David Crocket," and "Three Per Cent a Month." The life of Col. Crocket is alone worth the price of both the books, to say nothing of the valuable prize which accompanies it. The work is written by Crocket himself and who that has heard of the man will not at once infer that it is a rich production. "Three Per Cent a Month," is also well written and well worth the price asked for it. Price of each book $1,00

THE LANCASTER BANK.—An effort is now being made, which it is thought will prove successful, to compel the stockholders of this exploded institution to "face the music," and do justice to its note holders. Five eminent lawyers of Lancaster are now acting for the creditors and depositor and are determined to push the matter through in all forms that can be brought to bear. They will not stop short of the highest tribunal in the land to obtain justice for their clients.

SLAVERY IN TEXAS.—Another Methodist preacher, the Rev. Solomon McKinney, has been ordered out of Texas for the offence of speaking against slavery.—A public meeting of the citizens of Dallas adopted a series of resolutions denouncing the Methodist church north in general, and Mr. McKinney in particular, and warning the preacher to depart.

☞ *Peterson's Magazine* for October has been on our table for several days. It contains a beautiful steel engraving entitled "Chick! Chick! Chick!" which is very expressive and life-like. The literary contributions are of the same high order which has ever characterized this periodical. Price $2,00 per annum.

☞ Godey is always the *first* of the monthlies in point of time and character. Praise of it is superfluous. It is *the* lady's book of this country, and as such, deserves the large patronage it receives. Price $3 per annum.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ During General Scott's absence, General Wool, senior officer, will be acting Commander-in-Chief the Atlantic States.

☞ An Illinois editor says his party is on the verge of a precipice, but calls upon it to march "*steadily ahead.*"

☞ They have a "bullet-maker" in the U. S. arsenal in Troy, which turns out conical-shaped musket balls at the rate of 80 per minute.

☞ A prize fight between "Australian" Kelly and Ed. Price is to come off in Canada some time in the early part of October.

☞ Lawrence Todd, a citizen of Illinois, lately deceased, bequeathed his entire estate, valued at $30,000, to Girard College, Philadelphia.

☞ CIRCUS COMING—not to Altoona, but to Hollidaysburg. Baily's & Co's Circus is advertised to exhibit in Hollidaysburg on Friday afternoon and evening, Oct. 7th.

☞ That was a horrible affair—the murder of Dean, and the sealing up of his remains in a tin box! "What Dean?" asked a half dozen voice at once. Why *Sardean*, of course.

☞ To spin and weave, to knit and sew, was Knickerbocker girls' employment, but now to dress and catch a beau is all they call employment.

☞ Two horses were stolen from the stable of Col. A. McAlister, of Springfield Furnace, on Saturday night last, and have not yet been recovered.

☞ "Folks say, Mr. barkeeper, that I can't be trusted out of sight, but I'm in sight now—can't I have a "cocktail?'" "No, but you'll get a "smash" if you don't vanish instantly."

☞ A parishioner inquired of his pastor the meaning of this line in Scripture—"He was *clothed* with *curses* as with a *garment*." "It signifies," replied the Divine, "that that individual had *got a habit* of swearing."

☞ "Do you wish to see some tracts?" inquired a colporteur of a lady who made her appearance at the door, in answer to a lusty ring of the door bell. "Yes, sir," replied the lady, "toward the door."

☞ We have received a copy of the "New England Magazine of Industry and Trade," published at Boston, at $1,50 per annum. From the cursory examination we have given it we think it well worth the subscription price.

☞ It is an inexplicable fact that men buried in an avalanche of snow hear distinctly every word uttered by those seeking for them, while their most strenuous shouts fail to penetrate over a few feet of the snow!

☞ Beards and Whiskers.—As the season for cultivating beards and whiskers approaches apace, we would simply propound this question for juvenile debating societies: "Which is best—*bear*-faces or *bare*-faces?"

☞ A Lancashire dentist recently deceased, willed in due form that the whole of the teeth extracted by him, should be buried with him.—It was done, and the grave wherein he lies, received 30,000 human teeth!

☞ At the sale of Government arms which took place at Washington on the 14th, rifles sold at from $1 to $4; muskets, $1 to $2,50; cannon, $8 to $12. The harness averaged about $3 per set; flints, 1 cent per hundred.

☞ In the Ohio legislature, a lawyer some years ago introduced a bill in favor of instructing convicts in the State Prison in the art of printing, whereupon the printers of Columbus presented a petition that the said convicts might be instructed in law.

☞ "What wise compensation Providence does afford," exclaimed a pretty belle during the gale of Wednesday; "the same wind that musses our crinoline blows dust in the eyes of the wicked young men who would take advantage of our admirable confusion." Philosophical young woman that, says an exchange.

☞ Post Office Robbery.—Recently a young man named Isaac Black, son of the Postmaster at Duncannon, was arrested on a charge of abducting letters containing money from the Post office at that place. He entered into a recognizance, with approved security, in the sum of one thousand dollars, for his appearance at the United States Court to answer the charge.

☞ Ned was arguing in favor of giving woman the elective franchise. "Why shouldn't women vote as well as men? Are they not capable of forming correct opinions on political subjects? Many a woman knows more than her husband." "That may be," said Jim, "but do you suppose I'd have rascally politicians come electioneering with my wife?"

☞ Counterfeit Gold Dollars are circulating quite freely. They are made of heavy metal coated with gold, and the imitation of the genuine is so perfect that it requires a good judge to detect the fraud. Look out for the deceptive little shiners, if you would not be victimized; and when you detect a stranger trying to pass them, put him through.

☞ The Remaining Elections this Fall.—The elections in California for State officers and members of Congress took place on the first of September. In October, elections will occur in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Minnesota, Mississippi, Georgia, Iowa, and Kansas. In the early part of November the following States will vote:—New York, New Jersey, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, and Wisconsin.

☞ In thirty-one words, how many that can be grammatically inserted? Answer, fourteen. He said that that that that man said, was not that that that one should say but that that, that that man said, was that that that man should not say. That reminds us of the following says and saids: B., did you say, or did you not say, what I said you said? because C. said you said you never did say what I said you said. Now, if you did say that you did not say what I said you said, then what did you say?

Challenge to M. Blondin.

The local editor of the McKean *Citizen*, throws out the following laughable challenge to M. Blondin:—A single telegraph wire shall be extended from the American to the Canada shore, without a single guy, directly over the cataract at Niagara Falls. The "Local" of this paper wearing a pair of cowhide boots and dressed in the costume of a female dutch cook, will proceed to the middle of the wire, with a common clay pipe as a balancing pole, driving before him a hog and cow, and carrying on his back a cooking stove, a coop of chickens, a bed and bedding, a keg of lager beer, a barber's chair, and various cooking utensils. He will then unload himself and immediately go to bed. After a snooze of fifteen minutes he will rise, dress himself, take a glass of beer, milk the cow, kill the hog and dress it, cook fresh pork for breakfast, after which he will eat a wolf's meal. He will then throw one hundred and thirty summersaults, sucking an egg while in the air at each evolution, alighting the last time on the tip of the cow's horn, and while in this position will take the chicken coop, and after having taken the chickens out one at a time and wrung their necks consecutively, will balance the coop on the tip end of his nose, balance the cooking stove on his right hand thumb, balance the bedstead on his left thumb, at the same time finishing the beer and making a Dutch speech to the admiring crowds on either shore. After wich—after the manner of Levi North's celebrated one horse act—the "Local" will perform the one cow act. The foreman of this paper will then come out on the wire blindfolded and shackled, walking on his hands. Then there will be a representation of Heenan and Morrissey's prize fight, in which the "Local" and foreman will exchange sundry knocks and kicks, and black eyes. The last scene will be both parties standing on their heads, and will, in this predicament, play a rub of twenty one games of old sledge for the treat of all hands. The whole to conclude with a representation of some of the loving scenes in Romeo and Juliet.

Foreign News.

We learn by the North American, just arrived at New York, with later news from Europe, that a serious accident had already happened the "Great Eastern," the mammoth steamship lately built in England. A tremendous explosion occurred off Hastings, on her passage from the Nore to Portland, the harbor from which she was to start for America. The funnel was blown into the air, tearing to pieces the grand saloon, and doing great damage to the internal fittings of the vessel. The guests on board had just quitted the saloon, and all fortunately escaped injury. The explosion was terrific, but the ship resisted the shock, the frame sustaining no injury. The accident made so little difference in the movement of the ship that her engines were not stopped till she reached Portland, her place of destination. A coroner's inquest on the body of the fireman killed showed that the supply of water to the boilers through the water jacket, was stopped because of the failure of the auxiliary pumping powers. Secondly, that a top in the stand pipe which acts as a srfety valve was turned, apparently intentionally, so that the pipe was useless. The injury to the fittings will be repaired at an expense of $25,000. During the trip, the Great Eastern was almost without motion, when other vessels met with were tossed by a stormy sea. On her trial trip, under very unfavorable circumstances, she attained a speed of over fifteen miles per hour. It is thought her usual rate through the water will be over twenty miles per hour, which will make her regular passage from Europe to America extend to about six days.

A Wine Bath.

A pleasant item for lovers of champagne.—An American traveller in the streets of Paris seeing the words, "Wine baths given here," exclaimed:

"Well! these French are a luxurious people." Then with true Yankee curiosity, and the feeling that he could afford whatever any one else did, walked in and demanded a "wine bath." Feeling wonderfully refreshed after it, and having to pay but five francs, he asked, in some astonishment, how a wine bath could be afforded so cheaply. His sable attendant, who had been a slave in Virginia, and enjoyed a sly bit of humor, replied: "O, massa, we jest pass it along into annudder room, where we gib baths at four francs."

"Then you throw it away, I suppose."

"No, massa; den we send it lower down, and charge three francs a bath. Dar's plenty of people who ain't so berry particular, who bathe in it after this at two francs a head. Den, massa, we lets de common people hab it at a franc apiece."

"Then, of course, you throw it away," exclaimed the traveler, who thought this was going even beyond Yankee profit.

"No, indeed, massa," was the indignant reply, accompanied by a profound bow, "we are not so 'stravagant as that comes to; we jest bottles it up den and sends it to 'Merica for champagne."—*Life Illustrated.*

FATAL ACCIDENT IN A CISTERN—*Two Children Drowned and a Mother nearly Drowned.*—Through the medium of a private letter, we learn of the sad death of two children of Mr. Joel Wilmot, who removed from this city to Carthage, Jefferson county, about a year ago.

Mrs. Wilmot, (formerly Miss Patridge, of this city,) it would appear, was at home alone with her two children on Tuesday last, and went to draw water from a cistern covered only with a board, in the shed adjoining the house. While she hastened to return at the cry of her babe, Arthur, aged about three years, it is presumed, fell into the open cistern. In seeking to rescue him, she also fell into the cistern, with her babe in her arms. The precise hour at which this occurred is not known.

When Mr. Wilmot returned, not finding any one in the house, he looked for his family, but saw nothing till he heard a groan, evidently proceeding from the cistern, and looking there beheld his wife. The cistern must be quite deep, for he was unable to take her out till he obtained help from a neighbor who heard his call and came in. While drawing her out, the father saw the body of his little son in the water, and on enquiring for the babe, was told that it, too, was in the cistern, from which its body was afterwards recovered.

Mrs. Wilmot is very feeble, almost insensible, and had been able to give very little explanation of the accident. Her life is considered in danger. The children were, the eldest, three or four years old, and the youngest about as many months.—*Utica Herald, Sept.* 15th.

☞ Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, Mass., has been held to bail in the sum of $20,000 to appear and answer for his assault upon and stabbing of Mr. Fay, Secretary of the Middlesex Mills Company.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers for sale a HOUSE & LOT, situate in Loudonsville, adjoining Altoona, two doors from the main track of the Penn'a Rail Road. The Lot is 50 feet front by 160 feet deep. The House is a good two-story frame building, with all necessary outbuildings. A bargain may be had in this property as the owner is desirous of removing from the place. Possession given at any time.

TERMS:—One-third of the purchase money to be paid in hand. A title clear of all incumbrances will be given. Persons wishing to view the premises will call on the subscriber residing thereon.

Sept. 8, 1859.-3t JAS. T. MOORE.

HAIR, TOOTH & NAIL BRUSHES, Combs, Fancy Ottlery, Port Monnaies, Cases, &c. For sale by A. HOUSE.

IRON FINGER NAILS FOR HUSKING CORN.—Gould's Patent Husking Thimble is the only implement known that will entirely protect the fingers from the evils of excoriation, &c., common to husking corn by hand.

We are now in possession of over 200,000 letters of approval, over the signatures of reliable farmers and planters in different localities in the U. S., equally as flattering as the following.

READ! READ! READ!

THE HUSKING THIMBLE CAN'T be BEAT.

MESSRS GOULD & CO—Sirs:—I send enclosed $1 for six pairs of your celebrated Husking Thimbles. I bought a pair of you last fall and I have used them for husking ever since. If there are any who don't think worth while to buy a pair, let them tear their finger nails off; for one, I won't. They will outwear anything of the kind I ever saw, and for husking they can't be beat.

Yours truly, WM. MORROW.

Tiro, Crawford Co., O., Nov. 8th, 1858.

BETTER THAN ANY MACHINE.

MESSRS. J. H. GOULD & CO.—Gents; find enclosed $1,00 for six pairs of your patent Husking Thimbles of the sizes represented by the measures enclosed. I used a pair last year and I prefer them to all the great, small, and little giant Corn Huskers. Yours Respectfully, A. H. BELL.

Hillsboro Montgomery Co., Ill. Nov. 27th, 1858.

THE HUSKING THIMBLES ARE ALL WE REPRESENT THEM TO BE.

J. H. GOULD & CO.—Alliance Ohio—Gentlemen; I received in good order the six pairs of Husking Thimbles and can say that they are all that is represented of them. I have distributed them among my neighbors, and could have sold a great many if I had had them in season. I will myself, or get some one to do so, apply for an agency for their sale in Central Iowa next season.

Yours &c., SAMUEL M. DYER.

East Desmoines Polk Co., Iowa, Dec. 20th, 1858.

PRICES.

The Husking Thimbles are sent by mail (post paid) to any P. O. address, for one dollar per dozen, (six pairs) Assorted sizes with circulars, directions for using &c., by Express for five dollars per hundred, (50 pairs.) Circulars giving wholesale terms to those desiring to become agents, sent for one letter stamp.

AGENTS WANTED. Money sent by mail at our risk. Orders filled with promptness.

Address J. H. GOULD.

Dec. 12, '59-4t. Alliance Ohio.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Blair county, there will be offered at public vendue or outcry, on the premises in Logan town-ship, said county, on

Saturday, October 8th, 1859,

A TRACT OF LAND,

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OVER $600 TO BE DISTRIBUTED in Premiums to meritorious exhibitors of Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Swine, Poultry, Grain Fruit, Agricultural Implements, as well as every article of Household Manufacture and Mechanic Arts.

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Which will admit the person, his lady, and children under 12 years of age, to the Ground at all times during the Exhibition, provided they accompany and enter the enclosure at the same time. SINGLE TICKETS, 25 CENTS.—Tickets to be had at the Office on the Ground.

RULES.

I. All the Members of the Society, whose dues are paid, and all who may become Members previous to, and at the Fair, will be furnished with a Ticket which will admit the Member, his Lady and Children under 12 years of age, to the Fair, provided they all enter the enclosure at the same time.

II. Exhibitors must become Members of the Society, and have their Articles and Animals entered on the Secretary's Books on or before Tuesday Morning, and all Animals must be brought within the enclosure as early as noon of said day. ☞ Premiums will only be awarded to those who comply with the Rules of the Society.

III. Persons are desired to forward to the Secretary a list of articles that they intend to exhibit, previous to the 28th of September, in order that proper arrangements may be made for their accommodation.

IV. Articles or Animals removed from the grounds previous to the close of the Fair, (without permission from the President,) cannot receive a Premium, though awarded.

V. All articles must be labeled with the owner's name, and their number as entered on the books, and will take precedence according to said number, in their arrangements and accommodation. Cards for such purpose will be furnished at the office.

THE PLOWING MATCH.

Will take place on FRIDAY, at 9 o'clock, and all Teams must be hitched and ready to start at the appointed time. Each Plowman is required to drive his own team.

☞ The Managers solicit the exertion of all our farmer's Mechanics, and Citizens generally, to make the Exhibition creditable to our County.

☞ Any person wishing a Premium List can have the same by sending his P. O. address to the Sec'y or calling upon him at the office of the Society.

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NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS KNOWING themselves indebted to the firm of Runyan & Sanford, will please call and settle their accounts without delay, as ample time has been given. In thirty days hereafter, all accounts unsettled will be placed in the hands of a proper person for collection.

Altoona, July 28, 1859.-3t RUNYAN & SANFORD.

The undersigned feels grateful for the patronage heretofore bestowed on the firm and himself by the citizens of Altoona, and expects still to serve the public with all kinds of meat as usual. All persons selling to me counts every thirty days, must not expect longer indulgence. My capital is limited, and long credits will soon place me where others are that have indulged so much credit to their ruin. MARTIN RUNYAN.

BLAIR COUNTY MARBLE YARD.—Messrs. Freeman & Hoover respectfully inform the Public that they have established a NEW MARBLE YARD, on the corner of *Allegheny and Front Streets*, in Hollidaysburg, where they will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of

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Hollidaysburg, April 14, '59-6m.*

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona. The House is a good Two Story Frame Building, containing a Hall, Parlor, Dining-Room and Kitchen on the first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, and a finished Attic. The lot is in good order.

Persons wishing to view the premises and obtain further information will call upon the subscriber.

MARGT. M. McCRUM.

Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859-tf.

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ALTOONA NURSERY.—The Subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he has now on hand at his Nursery, various kinds of *FRUIT TREES*, ready for transplanting this Fall, consisting of *Apples, Peach, Plum, Prune, Gage and Apricot Trees*, grafted in the root. All trees warranted.

Altoona, July 14, '59-3m. R. B. TAYLOR.

CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE hereby notified not to purchase or sell any lager beer kegs with the stamp of the ALTOONA BREWERY thereon, as such kegs never have been and never will be sold from the Brewery. All kegs containing said stamp will be claimed and taken, wherever found, by the proprietors of the Brewery to whom they belong.

July 28th 1859-tf. WILHELM & BRO.

PERSONS wishing to change their business to a rapidly increasing County, a New Settlement where hundreds are going. Where the climate is mild and delightful. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement, in another column.

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Altoona Tribune.

LOCAL ITEMS.

CAMP LOGAN.—Having a leisure day on Wednesday of last week, we jumped aboard the Mail Train at 8 o'clock in the morning, and in the course of three quarters of an hour arrived in the flourishing city of Tyrone, where it was reported the military most had congregated for the week. After viewing the city a short time, as seen from the veranda of the City Hotel, we determined on a "splurge," and forthwith proceeded to carry our determination into execution by splurging through the mud for a half mile or more, until we arrived at the tented field, where we beheld the "pomp and circumstance of glorious war," under rather unfavorable auspices, the rain of the night previous having somewhat cooled the ardor and wilted the feathers of the plumed warriors.

There were some twelve companies on the ground—eleven belonging to this county, and one to Phillipsburg, Clearfield county. We did not take the trouble to inquire the names of all the companies and their officers, consequently cannot give them in regular order. The morning looking rather unfavorable, battalion drill was dispensed with, and company drill, for 2½ hours, ordered. Accordingly all the companies appeared on the drill ground, under their respective officers, and each selecting a spot seperate from the others, commenced their evolutions. Through the courtesy of Maj. Gen. Bell, who was acting as Brig. General, we obtained a favorable position on the field from which to view the manœuvers of the companies. So far as we could judge, all the companies went through their evolutions with much skill and credit, some of them far surpassing our expectations. Our attention was first attracted to the Hollidaysburg Fencibles, who were going through a very pretty manœuvre of loading and firing in sitting and lying positions, which they executed admirably. Next our attention was directed to a company of red shirts, in a distant part of the field, which we were informed was the Juniata Rifle company, under command of Lieut. Herrel, who were engaged in a manœuvre styled picket firing, and so well did they perform it that they became the observed of all observrs for a time. Considering that this company has only been organized a few months, it certainly deserves credit.

As we said before, all the companies did well, and we hope none will take offence at our mentioning of the above two, as it happened that we were in a position to observe them more particularly than others.

During the exercises, Gen. Bell desired to have a little amusement in the way of skirmishing, and accordingly requested the Juniata Rifles and Logan Rifles to commence the exercises by secretly surrounding and capturing the Tyrone Cavalry, who were manœvreing in distant part of the field, and were unaware of the design. Accordingly the two companies formed together and after manœvreing for some time, proceeded to that part of the field occupied by the Cavalry, who were drawn up in line and standing at ease, little dreaming of the intention of the Riflemen. Ere they "smelt the rat," they were almost captured. A quick wheel to the right let them out at a space not closed in the Riflemen's ranks for want of a few men. This opening made, then commenced a seige of skirmishing between the two Cavalry companies and the Riflemen, which, for a time, attracted the attention of all. Just previous to dismissing for dinner, an agreement was made between the Riflemen and Tyrone Cavalry that in case the Allegheny Cavalry should again charge on the former the latter would not interfere. Relying on this agreement, when the Allegheny Cavalry again charged, the Riflemen received them with a heavy volley, which put the Cavalry to flight, and the Riflemen pursued, intending to capture some of the horses, which they would have done, had not some of the Tyrone Cavalry broken the agreement, and riding in behind the pursuing Riflemen, run over and knocked down some six or eight of them, severely but not dangerously injuring two or three of them. The skirmishing throughout was highly exciting and amusing, and had it not been for the interference of the Tyrone Cavalry at this particular time, would have ended admirably.

In the afternoon, a heavy rain prevented the companies appearing on the ground until after three o'clock, at which time they formed in line for battalion drill, Gen. Negly, of Pittsburgh, acting as commanding officer. The companies were put through a number of evolutions, in which they acquitted themselves handsomely.—Previous to their dismissal, we "splurged" our way through the mud and rain back to the station and patiently awaited the arrival of the train which should convey us to our home again, fully satisfied with the sights of the day, the "elegant" of the town, and of the fact that to wear soldier clothes and parade the streets, on a fine day, may be a gloriously fine thing, but rainy days we would rather be excused from reading guard for four or six hours in a wet suit with wet feet.

SAD ACCIDENT.—On Monday last, about noon, a track-layer, in Maurice Fitzgerald gang, named Alexander Sharp, engaged in laying track on the road between Birmingham and Spruce Creek, attempted to jump on an Eastward bound Freight train, for the purpose of riding three or four hundred yards to the place where he had left his dinner. In jumping he missed his footing and fell with one foot on the rail and before he could remove it it was caught by a wheel and so severely crushed that amputation was deemed necessary. Dr. Gemmill was sent for and performed amputation immediately above the ankle. The unfortunate man bore the operation well, and when the Dr. left, on Tuesday morning, he appeared to be in a favorable condition.

INSURANCE AGENCY.—By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that our legal friend, W. R. Boyers, Esq., has been appointed agent of the City Fire and Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia, and the Commonwealth Insurance Company, of Harrisburg, for this place. Both these companies are, we believe, reliably reliable, and their agent in this place a good man for the position.

INHUMANITY.—Inhumanity appears to be the principal trait in the character of a number of juveniles in this place. They are not in their element unless they can come across a hog, dog, chicken, or some other dumb animal or fowl at which they cancast a stone and cripple or injure it. We wish no better evidence of the hard-hearted—we might say devilish—propensities of a boy, than to find him thus engaged on the streets.—It is a propensity which will sooner or later receive its reward. If indulged in it will lead to acts of inhumanity toward associates. It will create distrust in the minds of those who witness such acts of barbarity. They will naturally infer that a boy who will thus abuse a dumb brute, without cause, would not hesitate to treat them in like manner. No boy in whose breast there is one spark of humanity of manly principle would be guilty of abusing an animal without cause. Boys who are righly trained at home are seldom guilty of conduct such as we have alluded to; and those who do indulge in it are as much a disgrace and reproach to their parents as to themselves.

AUTUMN.—The season of the "sear and yellow leaf" has come again. The forests are rapidly changing and everything indicates that summer's glories have fled.

"The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year."

And while we regret the departure of summer and its many scenes of beauty, we cannot but look with pleasure on the varied glories of autumn. The trees, which a little while ago were clad in bright green, are now changed to red and yellow; and the gay flowers which gladdened the eye have withered away, yet we have the rich fruits of the vine and the vine, mellow and rich to the taste. Yes, autumn, with its melancholy still possesses many redeeming features.

> Morn on the mountain, like a summer bird,
> Lifts up her purple wing, and in the vales
> The gentle wind, a sweet and passionate wooer,
> Kissing the blushing leaf, and stirs up life
> Within the solemn woods of ash deep-crimson'd,
> And silver beech, and maple yellow-leaved.
> Where autumn, like a faint old man, sits down
> By the Way-side aweary.—*Longfellow.*

BURGLARY.—On Wednesday morning a week ago, Mr. John H. Roberts, upon opening his store, discovered that seven pairs of boots were "among the things that were"—there the night previous. Upon examination, he found that the back-window shutter had been bored, the bolt lifted, and the window hoisted; leaving no doubt that a burglar had been practising his art during the night. The burglary was evidently perpetrated by some one well acquainted with the premises; for the small hole bored in the shutter, was in the exact place necessary to raise the bolt, which was an upright one. The results of the burglary were not exactly *bootless*, but we think the thief ran a great risk to obtain so small a *booty!*

A NEW BOOK.—We have just received from the author, U. J. Jones, a copy of a book entitled "The Rights of Railway Travellers and the Rights of Railway Companies in their various capacities as Common Carriers," being facts of importance to those not versed in railway law—based upon common law, special acts, and legal decisions. The author has bestowed much care and research in the compilation of this work, and has arranged in a convenient form all information necessary to render railway traveling pleasant rather than irksome. The work should be in the hands of every traveler, and every railroad employee. It may be had at Fettingers, Periodical Depot.

SUICIDE.—An old man named Tricce, who had been living about Springfield Furnace for a number of years, committed suicide on the morning of the 15th instant, by hanging himself with a halter to a tree, near his own house.—He had been in bad health for some time, and on the morning of the occurrence walked out without his shoes. Soon after his wife followed him and told him he ought to come in, as he might take cold; but noticing nothing more unusual, she proceeded with her work of preparing breakfast, and when it was ready a son was directed to call him in, when he found him as above stated, entirely dead. He was about 54 years of age, and leaves a large family to mourn his untimely end.—*Register.*

☞ A sensible clergyman of Cincinnati writes to the *Commercial* against the "absurd vulgarity of whipping children," and asks—"Cannot something be done by our school board to stop this relic of barbarism in our public schools? So long as there is no law on this subject, incompetent persons, who know nothing of a child's nature, except its susceptibility to pain, and who cannot restrain their temper, will continue to make education hateful to the young, and good behavior a matter of fear. For people of sense know that no child was ever made to love knowledge or virtue by the rattan, which only degrades both into a kind of infant police."

THE ENCLOSURE.—The enclosure of the grounds for the approaching Fair has been commenced and will soon be completed. The location is a beautiful one—the area is considerably larger than that of former Fairs—seats will be erected for the accommodation of the ladies—and every other facility provided for the convenience and comfort of exhibitors and visitors.—The managers seem determined that nothing shall be wanting on their part to render the exhibition a complete success, and if their efforts are properly seconded, it will be.—*Standard.*

ACADEMY EXHIBITION.—An exhibition will be given by the scholars of the Altoona Academy, in their school room this (Thursday) evening, doors opening at 7 o'clock. The performances will consist of declamations, dialogue's, songs, music, &c., and will no doubt be interesting and amusing. We are sorry that they could not obtain a more capacious room in which to hold their exhibition, as the school room will undoubtedly be too small to contain those who may desire to attend.

PROTRACTED MEETING.—A protracted meeting has been in progress in the United Brethren Church in this place for some time past, which has resulted in the awakening and conversion of quite a number of persons. The meeting is still kept up nightly and it is to be hoped that much more good will yet be accomplished.

ARMORY LOGAN RIFLE RANGERS.
Monday Evening, Sept. 26th, 1859.

We, the members of the Altoona Brass Band, attached to the Logan Rifle Rangers, take this method of returning thanks to those through whose exertions our recent trip to Camp Logan was rendered so pleasant.

To the worthy host of the Tyrone City Hotel we would return our acknowledgements, and wish him the success due such a worthy boniface, and trust that his purse, like his larder, may always be filled with choice pieces.

To Capt. Bell, of the Tyrone Artillery, are we especially indebted for his exertions to render our stay agreeable. We trust that the day is not far distant when his post shall be in front, instead of on the right of the line, for we feel well assured that if he is strict with his men on parade, he will be no less careful of the wherewithal to strengthen their inner man at the board.

The landlady of the National Hotel will please accept our sincere thanks for her attention.—Ah, mother, you understand that a soldier loves a good supper as well as glory, and we assure you that the remembrance of the creature comforts which you so lavishly spread, shall often rise up before us. For them receive a soldiers thanks, and may your shadow never grow less.

By order of the Band.
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CHEAP TOMATOES.—Mr. Rutherford informs us that he has still a few more of those excellent tomatoes for sale, and now offers them at the low price of 50 cents per bushel. Orders left with John Lehr, J & J Lowther, Henry Bell, John Conrad or Isaac Hooper, will be promptly filled, and the tomatoes delivered at the residence of those ordering, if desired.—Surely everybody will put up tomatoes at the low price at which they are now offered.

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☞ An agent from G. G. Evans Gift Book establishment has been in town for some time past, disposing of books and gifts very rapidly. If the gifts are really what they appear to be, we are at a loss to know how they can be disposed of so cheaply.

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Nov. 18, 1858-1y.

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Altoona, May 5, 1859.—tf

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1 CAPITAL PRIZE OF $35,000!

1 Prize of	$17,500	49 Prizes of		300
1 "	10,000	268 "		200
1 "	7,500	54 "		100
1 "	5,000	74 "		70
1 "	4,339	128 "		40
20 Prizes of	1,000	5,568 "		20
30 "	500	28,224 "		10
34,412 Prizes amounting to $859,659.				

Whole Tickets $10—*Halves* $5—*Quarters* $2,50

Certificates of Packages in the above Scheme, to be drawn each Wednesday, will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk.

Certificate of Package of 26 Whole tickets		$141,00
" "	26 Half "	70,50
" "	26 Quarter "	35,25

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES, Enclose the amount of money to our address, for what you wish to purchase; name the Lottery in which you wish it invested; and whether you wish Wholes, Halves or Quarters, on receipt of which, we send what is ordered, by first mail, together with the scheme.

Immediately after the drawing, a printed drawing, certified to by the Commissioner, will be sent, with an explanation.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give the name of their Post Office, County and State.

All communications strictly confidential.

All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing, other prizes at the usual time of 40 days.

Our Lotteries

On the Single Number Plan

DRAW EVERY SATURDAY.

CAPITAL PRIZE $50,000

Tickets $10—*Shares in proportion.*

Orders for Tickets or Certificates in the above Schemes to be addressed to

WOOD, EDDY & Co., Wilmington, Delaware,
or, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Augusta, Georgia.
or, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Atalanta, Georgia.

☞ The Drawings of the Delaware State Lotteries are published in the New York Times and Herald.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERVERS for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

DR. COGGSWELL'S NEW MEDICAL SALVE.

Read the following Certificates to the Efficacy of this Medicine in Inflammatory Diseases.

"For the last twelve years I have been more or less troubled with Inflammatory Rheumatism, commencing early in the Spring, and lasting until cold weather set in, when I would be relieved for a while, only to be attacked again in the Spring. All my joints would swell and be very sore, attended with the most acute pain. My feet, shoulders, arms, and hands troubled me most, so much so that I could scarcely walk, and almost always required assistance in dressing. During this time I would try everything I could hear of, in the hope of finding a cure. I also tried several physicians, but nothing seemed to help me the least in the world. About two and a half years ago I was attacked as usual, and as usual tried everything to get rid of it, but to no purpose. I kept growing worse, and finally had to give up and stay in the house, where I was confined about four weeks. This time my feet swelled, and were so sore that I could not stand on them or get on my boots, and my hands swelled to twice their usual size. In fact, I was, to all appearances and belief, totally used up. About this time my parents, who reside in Maine, sent for me to come home. I went and after my arrival I commenced trying another remedy, hoping to be cured, but resulting the same as all others. For weeks I had not been able to dress myself or to raise my hand to my head, and suffering the most excruciating pain all the time.—One day my father came in with a paper in which was advertised Dr. Coggswell's MEDICAL SALT, for Inflammatory Diseases only, and wanted me to read and see what I thought of it. I read and laughed at it, pronounced it a humbug, and told him that I had been humbugged enough. He kept urging me, and at last said I could but try it, and if I would write to Dr. C., giving him a description of my disease, he would pay the expense. Of course I could not refuse such an offer and sent for one box. It came in due season, but my faith was not increased, and I laughed at the idea of so small a dose doing me any good, and told my wife that I believed Dr. C. and his Salt, both humbugs.—However, I commenced using it and the result was perfectly astonishing. I could hardly realize it myself. I slept soundly all night, which I had not done for a long time, and when I awoke in the morning, strange as it may seem, I was entirely free from pain. I had then taken but one dose, and bathed freely before going to bed. That morning I felt so well that I hardly knew how to contain myself, and went down stairs and told the folks how well I felt, and from that day to this I have not suffered one moment's pain or had an attack of my once dreaded enemy, Rheumatism. I am perfectly well and hearty, and wherever I have a chance I recommend it. A friend of mine, residing in Brooklyn, is now trying it for a bad case of neuralgic rheumatism, and so far it is working admirably.—This is a long story, but I have told all the facts, which I can bring witnesses to substantiate if necessary; and will again say that in the MEDICAL SALT, a sure cure may be found for all inflammatory diseases, and would urge all who are afflicted to give it a trial. GEO. H. DUNCAN.
No. 117 Wall Street, New York.

When it is remembered that the MEDICAL SALT is as efficacious in all other inflammatory diseases as in Rheumatism, (see descriptive circulars) it will at once be seen that it is a most valuable remedy. Surely those thus afflicted will find in their own condition and in the above statements, enough to induce them to give the MEDICAL SALT a trial.

Price $1,00; Chronic packages, $2,50.

D. C. TAYLOR & CO.,
General Agents, No. 202 Dock Street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Altoona by A. ROUSH; at Bells Mills by B. F. Bell; in Hollidaysburg by Geo. A. Jacobs, and by all enterprising Druggists, and wherever the *Tribune* goes.—Call or send and get a circular, and do not fail to try the New Medical Salt.
Dec. 16, '58-1y.

WEST ALTOONA CABINET WARE ROOM.—The undersigned has lately made arrangements to do business on a more extensive scale than heretofore, and is now prepared to execute all

ORDERS FOR FURNITURE,
OF ANY KIND,
AT SHORTEST NOTICE.

His workmen are acknowledged to be capable of doing *The very best work in the line of Cabinet Making,*

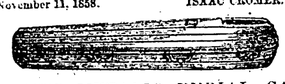
and all those who entrust him with their orders may rely upon receiving finished work.

He keeps a constant supply of Furniture on hand, to which he invites attention of those intending to

"GO TO HOUSE-KEEPING."

Call on him at at his room in Loudonsville, near the Plank Road.

COFFINS MADE TO ORDER.
November 11, 1858. ISAAC CROMER.



FISK'S METALIC BURIAL CASES.—This is a new article in this section of the country, although extensively used in the East. They are a sure protection against

WATER AND VERMIN,

and possess many other advantages over the common coffins. The remains of the lamented CLAY and WEBSTER were encased in these cases.

For sale by ISAAC CROMER,
November 11, 1858. Altoona, Pa.

HATS! HATS!!—SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES.

The subscriber has just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of Men and Boys'

HATS AND CAPS,

OF ALL STYLES,

FOR SPRING & SUMMER WEAR,

of every color and shape. Also, a good assortment of

LADIES AND MISSES FLATS,

of different varieties, all of which will be sold

CHEAP FOR CASH.

Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.

Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.
Altoona, April 28, 1859-tf. JESSE SMITH.

RED LION HOTEL,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the business and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*
May 19, 1859.-tf

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,
R. E. SELLERS' Imperial Cough Syrup,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Barhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Duponco's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Leniment,
in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, 1858-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

J. G. ADLUM,
Notary Public,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.
Altoona, October 1, 1857.-1y

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,
Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

CREAM TARTER, SUPER-CARBONATE of Soda, Saleratus, Washing Soda, Durkee's Baking Powder, in store and for sale at
Sept. 2,'58-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

SELLING OFF—A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Boots and Shoes, Buffalo and Call Overshoes, at H. TUCH'S
Dec. 9, 1858.

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Alcohol, for sale cheap at A. ROUSH'S.

PERSONS wishing to establish Manufactories in a new and thriving place where business is good. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement.

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT [1-tf. KESSLER'S.

GLASS 8x10 TO 20x24, AND CUT to order by G. W. KESSLER.

NEW AGRICULTURAL SETTLEMENT.—*To all wanting Farms, a rare opportunity in a delightful and healthy climate 25 miles Southeast of Philadelphia, on the Camden and Atlantic Railroad New Jersey.*

An old estate consisting of several thousands of acres of *productive soil* has been divided into Farms of various sizes to *suit the* purchaser. A population of some *Fifteen Hundred*, from various parts of the Middle States and New England have settled there the past year, improved their places, and *raised excellent crops.* The price of the land is at the low sum of from $15 to $20 per acre, the soil is of the best quality for the production of *Wheat, Clover, Corn, Peaches, Grapes and Vegetables.* IT IS CONSIDERED THE BEST FRUIT SOIL IN THE UNION. The place is perfectly secure from frosts—the destructive enemy of the farmer. Crops of grain, grass and fruit are now growing and can be seen. By examining the place itself, a correct judgment can be formed of the productiveness of the land. The terms are made easy to secure the rapid improvement of the land, which is only sold for *actual improvement.* The result has been, that within the past year, some *three hundred houses* have been erected, two mills, one steam, four stores, some forty vineyards and Peach orchards, planted, and a large number of other improvements, making it a desirable and active place of business.

THE MARKET,

as the reader may perceive from its location, is the

BEST IN THE UNION.

Produce bringing double the price than in locations away from the city, and more than double the price than the West. It is known that the earliest and best fruits and vegetables in this latitude come from New Jersey, and are annually exported to the extent of millions.

In locating here, the settler has many advantages. He is within a few hours ride of the great cities of New England and Middle States, he is near his old friends and associations, he is in a *settled country where every improvement of comfort and gratification is at hand.* He can buy every article he wants at the cheapest price, and sell his produce for the highest, (in the West this is reversed,) he has schools for his children, *divine service,* and will enjoy an open winter, and delightful climate, where fevers are utterly unknown. The result of the change upon those from the north, has generally been to restore them to an excellent state of health.

In the way of building and improving, lumber can be obtained at the mills at the rate of $10 to $16 per thousand. Bricks from the brick yard opened in the place, every article can be procured in the place, good carpenters are at hand, and there is no place in the Union where buildings and improvements can be made cheaper.

The reader will at once be struck with the advantages there presented, and ask himself why the property has not been taken up before. The reason is, it was never thrown in the market; and unless these statements were correct, no one would be invited to examine the land before purchasing. This all are expected to do. They will see land under cultivation, such is the extent of the settlement that they will no doubt, meet persons from their own neighborhood; they will witness the improvements and can judge the character of the population. If they come with a view to settle, they should come prepared to stay a day or two and be ready to purchase, as locations cannot be held on refusal.

There are two daily trains to Philadelphia, and to all settlers who improve, the Railroad Company gives a Free Ticket for six months, and a half-price Ticket for three years.

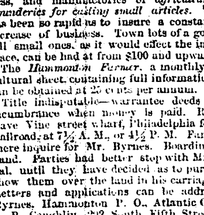
THE TOWN OF HAMMONTON.

In connection with the agricultural settlement, a new and thriving town has naturally arisen, *which presents inducements for any kind of business, particularly stores and manufactories. The Shoe business* could be carried on in this place and market to good advantage, also cotton business, and manufactories of *agricultural implements or Founderies for casting small articles.* The improvement has been so rapid as to insure a constant and permanent increase of business. Town lots of a good size, we do not sell small ones, as it would effect the improvement of the place, can be had at from $100 and upwards.

The *Hammonton Farmer*, a monthly literary and agricultural sheet, containing full information of Hammonton, can be obtained at 25 cents per annum.

Title indisputable—warrantee deeds given, clear of all incumbrance when money is paid. Route to the land, leave Vine street wharf, Philadelphia for Hammonton by Railroad at 7½ A. M., or 4½ P. M. Fare 90 cents. When there inquire for Mr. Byrnes. Boarding conveniences on hand. Parties had better stop with Mr. Byrnes, a principal, until they have decided as to purchasing, as he will show them over the land in his carriage, free of expense. Letters and applications can be addressed to Landis & Byrnes, Hammonton P. O., Atlantic Co., New Jersey, or S. B. Coughlin, 202 South Fifth Street, Philadelphia.—Maps and information cheerfully furnished.
[June 30 '59-6m.]

SAVING FUND.



National SAFETY TRUST Company.

SAVING FUND.—NATIONAL SAFETY TRUST COMPANY.—CHARTERED BY THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

RULES.

1. Money is received every day, and in any amount, large or small.
2. FIVE PER CENT. interest is paid for money from the day it is put in.
3. The money is always paid back in GOLD, whenever it is called for, and without notice.
4. Money is received from *Executors, Administrators, Guardians,* and others who desire to have it in a place of perfect safety, and where interest can be obtained for it.
5. The money received from depositors is invested in REAL ESTATE, MORTGAGES, GROUND RENTS, and such other first class securities as the Charter directs.
6. Office Hours—Every day from 9 till 5 o'clock, and on Mondays and Thursdays till 8 o'clock in the evening.

HON. H. L. BLENNER, President.
ROBERT SELFRIDGE, Vice President.
W. J. REED, Secretary.

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ROBERT SELFRIDGE,	JOSEPH B. BARRY,
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C. LANDRETH MUNNS,	HENRY DIFFENDERFER.

Office: Walnut Street, S. W. Corner of Third St. Philadelphia. April 14th. '59-1y.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—Did you hear the news from Europe? If you have not, we will tell you what it is. It is that HENRY TUCK has just returned from the Eastern cities with a large supply of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

consisting of all styles and qualities of Overcoats, Dress Coats, Vests, Pants, Boots and Shoes, and everything kept in an establishment of the kind, all of which he offers at unprecedentedly low prices for cash. Having purchased his stock at cash prices, he is thereby enabled to sell very low.

He invites all those in want of anything in his line to give him a call, feeling sure that he will be able to give satisfaction. HENRY TUCK.
Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.-tf

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of

BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed.

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.
September 3, '57-tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNDERSIGNED has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order, Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.

Jan. 2, '59-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER.—THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he still continues to manufacture Boots and Shoes of every description, on the shortest notice, at his shop on Main Street, next door to the *Tribune* office. His work is done up in the best of style, and cannot fail to give satisfaction. Only give him a call.
Nov. 4, 1858.-1y. L. RICKARDS.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXTERMINATING RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and Bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances, for sale at the Drug Store of
[Jan. 24, '56-tf] G. W. KESSLER.

LUMBER FOR SALE.
60,000 SHINGLES. 50,000 LATHES,
and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

O YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2 '56.

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF Boy's wear, such as Jackets, Frock and Overcoats Pants and Vests, at the lowest prices, at H. TUCH'S.
Dec. 9, 1858.

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA.—A cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by
June 24, '58-tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

PIKE'S PEAK is creating considerable excitement, but not so much by any means as the large, splendid and cheap stock of

Spring Goods,

now being opened at the MODEL STORE; and while it is still a mooted question whether or not gold can be procured by going to the former place, the proprietors of the Model feel confident in saying that gold can be saved by persons purchasing goods of them.

Our Stock at present will be found much larger and more varied than heretofore, and we hope to be able to please the tastes of the most fastidious.

Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods,

Such as English and French Ducals, black and fancy Silks, French Brilliants, figured and white Marseilles, Lawns, Ginghams, Prints, Muslins, &c.

Also, a splendid assortment of White Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, &c. We have also on hand a large lot of CARPETS, bought at auction for cash, which will be sold very cheap. A large assortment of beautiful Spring and Summer SHAWLS.

BOOTS & SHOES,
Wooden & Willow Ware, Queensware,
HARDWARE GROCERIES.
&C., &C., &C.

Feeling thankful to our friends for their patronage heretofore, we are determined to sell Goods cheaper than ever for cash or for prompt monthly payments only. We cordially invite our old and new friends and customers to call and see our new stock, which we will be pleased to show them. J. & J. LOWTHER.
April 7th, '59.

DUVALL'S GALVANIC OIL.—Prepared originally by Prof. H. DU VALL, formerly of the College of Surgeons, at Paris, is now offered to the public, as a sure cure for the cure of sore and painful diseases.

For instance—Pain or soreness in any part of the system. Rheumatism, pain in the back, breast or side, bealed breasts, neuralgia, burns, sprains, headache, cramp in the stomach, or any other disease that is SORE and PAINFUL and it is only over this class of diseases that we claim a perfect VICTORY. We say positively to our patrons we can relieve the sufferer 9 times out of 10. We would just say to the public, Prof. Du Vall was 28 years in bringing to this medicine superiority over all others.

Price 50 cents per bottle—½ per cent. cut off to the trade. All orders must be addressed to
J. D. STONEROAD, Proprietor.
Sept. 2, 1858-1y.] Lewistown, Pa.

Agents for Du Vall's Galvanic Oil—Henry Lehr, G. W. Kessler, and A. Roush, Altoona, and all dealers in medicines everywhere.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!
Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.
Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

"MAGNUM EST VECTIGAL PARSIMONIA."—Did every one who reads the heading of this article but understand its meaning, they would immediately repair to the shop of

JOHN O'DONNELL,
FASHIONABLE TAILOR,

Main St., Altoona, a few doors below the Red Lion Hotel, and select a suit of clothes from the large stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

which he has just received from the East, feeling sure that in doing so they would be carrying out the motto.

It is not necessary here to mention the different styles and quantities of the goods on hand, suffice it to say that he has everything in the line of gentlemen's wear, and knows how to make it up in a fashionable and durable style, on terms as reasonable as those of any other merchant Tailor in the place.

Give him a call and you will soon discover that you can carry out the motto adopted by dealing with him.
April 28, '59-tf.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Hollidaysburg and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Rose, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.

Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.

The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance.

☞ The Williamsburg stage, which leaves daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.
Dec. 17, 1857.—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

Stoves, Tin & Sheet-Iron Ware, Spouting.

JAS. W. RIGG WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves,* of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware* consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.* Also, a large lot of Cast Iron Force Pumps.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y.

W. M. LLOYD & CO.,
ALTOONA, PA.

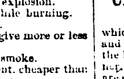
JOHNSTON, JACK & CO.,
HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA.,

BANKERS,

(Late "Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co.")

DRAFTS ON THE PRINCIPAL Cities, and Silver and Gold for sale. Collections made. Moneys received on deposite, payable on demand, without interest, or upon time, with interest at fair rates.
Feb. 3d. 1859.

NEW SADDLERY SHOP.—THE subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a Shop on Virginia street, next door to J. & J. Lowther's store, where he is prepared to manufacture Harness, Horse Gears of all kinds, Saddles, Bridles, Halters, Whips, and everything in his line on short notice and reasonable terms.—Articles of the above description always on hand for sale. Having a full knowledge of the business, I hope to be able to render satisfaction to all, and ask the patronage of those wishing anything in my line. HENRY WEHN.
Altoona, June 9, 1859.-tf



OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS! In consequence of the hard times, I have concluded to put down the price of my OYSTERS to the lowest possible standard. They will hereafter be served up on the Chafing Dish at TWENTY CENTS, and roasted in the shell and served up with all other accompaniments, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. They will also be furnished, in every other way, as prices to correspond with the times.

JOHN KEIFFER,
Dec. 17, tf.] Logan House, Hollidaysburg.

CONCENTRATED LYE, FOR MAKING Soft Soap, and Soap Powder for Washing, one pound equal to six of common Soap; Castile Soap, Palm Soap, Chemical Soap, etc., on hand and for sale at
June 10, 1858.-tf] A. ROUSH'S.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B HILEMAN.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by
1-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS just received and for sale by
Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at KESSLER'S.

MARIA L. DE PEYSTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—This institution, which is located in Altoona, Blair County, Penn'a, will be opened on the 1st MONDAY in MAY. It is intended as a permanent School, and will connect with it a Male & Female Department. In the Male Department, young men will be instructed with a view to their entering the advanced classes of our best Colleges; or, if desired, their education completed. In the Female department, instruction will be given in any, or all of the different branches, either *solid* or *ornamental*, taught in our best Female Seminaries.

The year will be divided into two Sessions of five months each—the Summer Session to commence on the 1st Monday of May, ending on the last Wednesday of September—the Winter Session to commence on the 1st Monday in November, ending on the last Wednesday of March. The Sessions will be divided into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Terms, per quarter, as follows—viz.:

SOLID BRANCHES.

Primary (including Reading, Writing, Orthography, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography, &c.)	$4,00
Advanced (Including the Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Logic, the Languages and Composition &c.)	$5,00

EXTRA, OR ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES.

Music (Including use of instrument)	$10,00
Drawing	$3,00
Painting (In water Colors)	3,00
Needle work,	2,00

Instructions in vocal music gratis. One half the above charges, to be paid invariably in advance.

R. W. OLIVER, *Superintendent Male Dep't.*
A. B. CLARK, " *Female* "
Mr. ——, *Principal of Male* "
Miss C. M. CLARK, " *Female* "

March 10, 1859.-tf

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally that he has just received a LARGE assortment of

CLOTHS,
AND
Cassimeres,
VESTINGS,

which he is now and is prepared to do in the latest style & neat, as none but the most skilful and best workmen are employed. He has also a good assortment of FURNISHING GOODS, such as SHIRTS, COLLARS, UNDERSHIRTS, Drawers, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Stocks, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c., &c.; also a large assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, all of which he is determined to sell as cheap as they can be bought this side of Philadelphia. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock, as I shall take pleasure in showing them. Doors open at all times from 6 A. M. until 9 P. M. Admittance free.
May 5th 1859-tf THOMAS ELWAY.

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Addison and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His

GROCERIES

are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of

Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, &c.

will be sold a little cheaper than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of Feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I hint out also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.
July 22, 1858-tf HENRY BELL.

ANOTHER BREAK-OUT.—THE subscriber would inform his old customers that he has opened out again at his old stand, where he hopes to receive their calls. He has now on hand the cheapest and best assortment of

GROCERIES

that can be found in the town, consisting of

SUGAR, COFFEE, TEA, MOLASSES, Salt by the bushel or sack, Dried Fruit of all kinds, Fish of the very best quality,

together with everything in the Grocery line, all of which is fresh from the Eastern markets.

He also keeps constantly on hand a supply of

FLOUR, FEED AND GRAIN,

which he sells at the lowest market prices.

PORK always on hand and retailed in quantities to suit purchasers. JOHN LEHR.
December 16, 1858-1y

A. STONE & CO'S GLASS PRESERVING JARS, for preserving all kinds of fresh Fruits, Vegetables, Mince Meat, Oysters, and all such perishable articles.

☞ The whole secret of preserving fruit in a fresh condition consists in having it thoroughly heated when sealed up, and in excelling all the air there may be in the vessel, so that when the fruit cools it will form a vacuum.

We are now manufacturing the above Patent Jar, (having bought the right from Messrs. A. Stone & Co.,) and are prepared to fill all orders at short notice.

We furnish Covers, Wires and Cement, with printed directions with each Jar. Manufactured and sold Wholesale & Retail by CUNNINGHAMS & CO.,
Glass Manufacturers.
April 28, 1859-6m No. 109 Water St., Pittsburg, Pa.

BLAIR COUNTY DAGUERREAN ROOMS.—Mr. G. W. FISHER, the Hollidaysburg Artist, begs leave to inform our readers that he is prepared to take

Photographs of deceased persons,

from Daguerreotypes, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. He has just received a large stock of durable and neat cases, of all sizes and styles, including a new pattern of Family Case for four persons, and is prepared to fill them with perfect likenesses.

AMBROTYPE, DAGUERREOTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPH.

Give him a call. Rooms on the corner of Montgomery and Allegheny streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [June 17-tf.

G. W. KESSLER—PRACTICAL DRUGGIST, respectfully announces to the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he still continues the Drug business, on Virginia street, where he keeps constantly on hand, for sale, Wholesale and Retail, DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS, VARNISHES and DYE-STUFFS.

By strict attention to business, and a desire to render satisfaction to all as regards price and quality, he hopes to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

Physicians and merchants supplied on reasonable terms, and all orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded. [1-tf.

WALL PAPER! WALL PAPER!!—we are now receiving at the "MODEL STORE," a large assortment of

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